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Cameron Brenneman Memorial Playground Dedication

Saturday, October 13th, was a very special day at Sanchez Park. The new playground was dedicated in memory of Cameron Brenneman and the park was filled with many members of the community, family, and City staff. Robert Carolin, Leisure Services Director, welcomed the attendees, Mayor Kelley read a proclamation about the park dedication, and Patti Brenneman (Cameron's mother) expressed her heartfelt gratitude. Hailey Remigio and Hayleigh Ruddell, two young students who had volunteered to adopt Sanchez Park, played an instrumental role in designing the new playground and naming it in Cameron's memory. After the sign unveiling, children filled the playground and enjoyed playing on the new equipment. In addition, a memorial plaque was placed on the fishing pier in Sanchez Park.

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CITY HALL PARKING LOT RESURFACING

The City Hall parking lot resurfacing will be completed this weekend, October 19-20. Please refer to the map for the phases discussed below. The schedule is as follows:

Friday, October 19, 2012:

Phase 2 Area (behind the Library): All vehicles *must be vacated* from the Phase 2 area by 6:00 p.m. for equipment staging by the contractor.

Saturday, October 20, 2012:

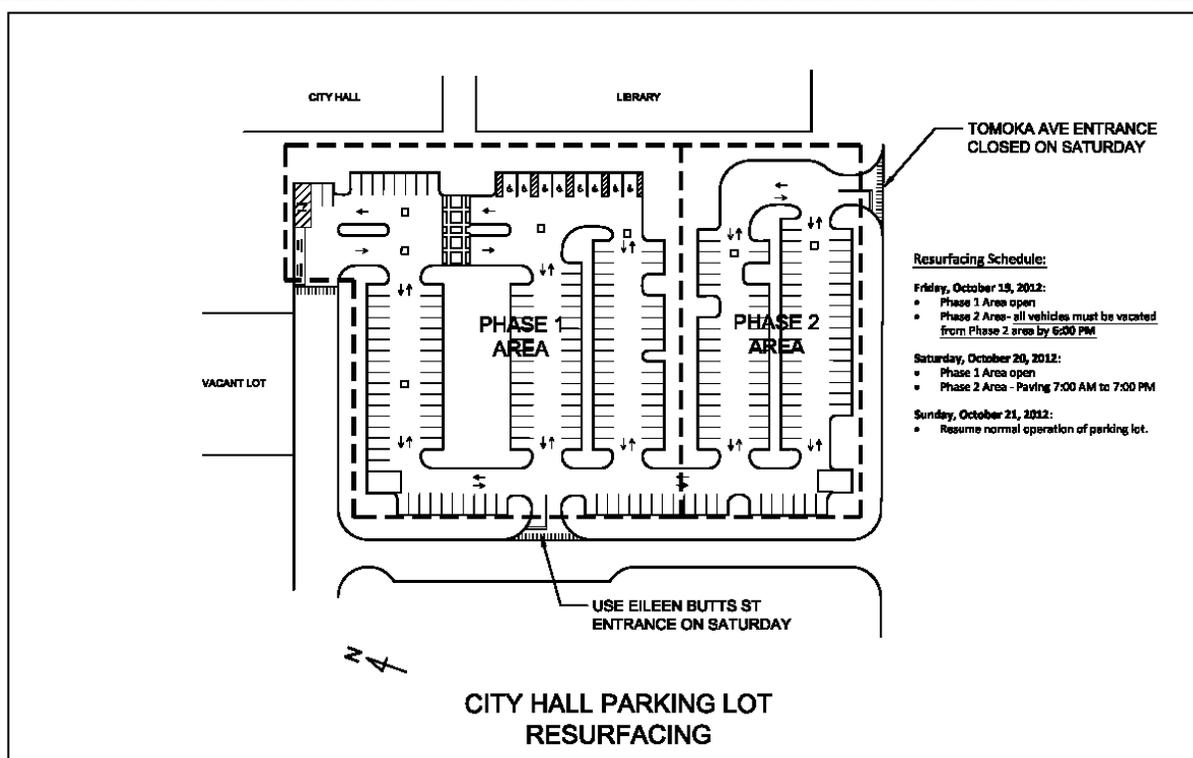
Phase 1 Area (behind City Hall): This area will be available for parking; however, the contractor will be performing minor work in the Phase 1 area. The Library will be open from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, October 21, 2012:

Parking lot will resume normal operations.

Halifax Paving, 676-0200, is the general contractor performing the work.

For additional information, or questions regarding this project, please contact the City's Engineering Division at (386) 676-3269, or the Engineering Inspector for this project, Donny Vick at (386) 212-1989.





Improvements at Sanchez Park

Park Maintenance staff spent much of last week preparing for the Playground Dedication held on Saturday, October 13th. Throughout the park, crews installed new picnic tables, park benches, trash cans, a pet waste station, the playground sign, pressure washed walkways, and spread the shell driveways. The improvements gave the park a fresh new look for the community to enjoy.



Rockefeller Christmas

Guild members began their presale of tickets for the much anticipated Rockefeller Christmas to be held at The Casements November 30, December 1 and December 2. The event will kick off Friday evening as Mr. and Mrs. Claus arrive by horse and buggy, and the lighting of The Casements takes place at 7:00 pm. Christmas music will fill the air, and the inside of The Casements will be decorated from top to bottom.

For months our talented Guild members have been hard at work designing a number of treasures which will be on sale in the Craft Boutique on the second floor. The Gift Shoppe ordered a number of unique items which will be on sale for that special someone on your list. All that shopping will be sure to make you hungry, and the Gourmet Shoppe will have just the thing to satisfy your appetite. Admission tickets will be valid for all three days. They are now on sale for \$5.00, and children under 12 are free.

This year there will be a number of special events for everyone to enjoy. Carriage rides down Casements Drive, sponsored by Brown and Brown Insurance, will be something to remember for only \$3.00! Friday night an ice cream social, sponsored by Hershey's Ice Cream of Ormond Beach, is scheduled from 6:00-9:00 pm. You can make your own ice cream sundae for just \$3.00. Saturday evening from 5:00-8:00 pm the Wine and More event will feature wine, appetizers and music for only \$15.00. On Sunday, there will be two seatings for the Holiday Tea Party, one at 1:00 pm and another at 2:00 pm where you can enjoy delicious sandwiches and refreshing tea for \$15.00.

A Rockefeller Christmas will be held on Friday, November 30 from 6:00-9:00 pm; Saturday, December 1 from 10:00 am to 4:00 pm; and Sunday December 2 from 12:00-4:00 pm. For more information about this event, please call (386) 676-3216.





Mayor's Mile

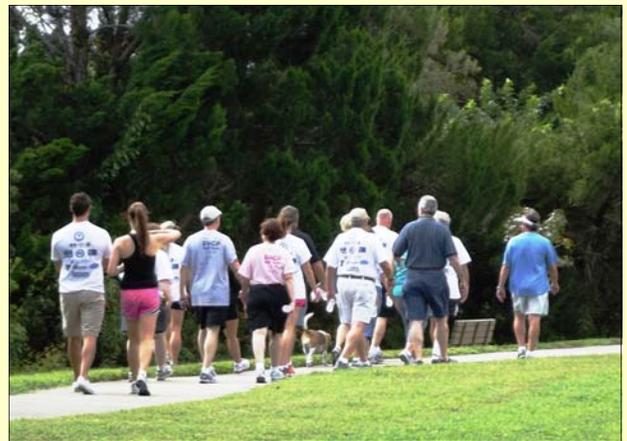
Approximately 25 guests joined the first, in a series of three, "Mayor's Mile" walks on Saturday, October 13th. The walk through Central Park was led by Mayor Ed Kelley and representatives from Florida Health Care Plans.

The next walk on November 10th begins in Cassen Park at 5:00 p.m. where guests will walk over the Granada Bridge and through the parks on the bridge corners. The walk will be led by Mayor Ed Kelley along with representatives from the Florida Hospital Memorial Medical Center. Please put on some comfortable walking shoes and come out and join this fun, healthy activity. Bottled water will be provided.

The Mayor's Mile walks are a prelude to the Mayor's Health and Fitness Challenge which will take place from January 6, 2013, to April 6, 2013.

You can check out the planned events and register for the challenge on the City's website at www.ormondbeach.org. In addition to registering online, you can register by mail, or by coming into City Hall, Human Resources, 22 South Beach Street, Room 101, Monday through Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., or at the Ormond Beach Chamber of Commerce, 165 West Granada Blvd., Monday through Friday, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

If you have any questions, or need additional information, please contact Christina Maguire at 386 -676-3323.



Weekly Police Stats

Calls for Service - 1,693 Arrests - 25
 Citations Issued - 146
 Reports Written - 129 Traffic Stops - 277



Weekly Fire Operations Stats

96 INCIDENTS
 59 - EMS 4 - Motor Vehicle Accidents
 2 - Fires 5 - Fire Alarms
 25 - Public Assists 1 - Hazardous



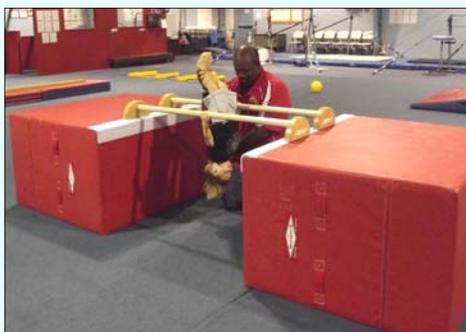
Blessing of the Animals

Each day we are given unconditional love from our pets. We receive our blessings, so why shouldn't all our family members? Both two and four-legged friends of St. James Episcopal School students came together in Rockefeller Gardens on Monday, October 8th for the annual Blessing of the Animals. The faithful companions were blessed and celebrated in a beautiful service as everyone gave thanks for all of God's creatures.



Gymnastics Center Adds Mommy & Me Class

At the Gymnastics Center, a new piece of equipment, a "mini kids bar" is being used for the first time by the tiny new gymnastics students. This week at the center a new Mommy and Me class began for boys and girls ages 18 months to two years old. The class introduces the children to the basic gymnastic skills, and Mommy assists her toddler with stretching and basic coordination skills.



For further information please call the Department of Leisure Services Registration Office at (386) 676-3250.



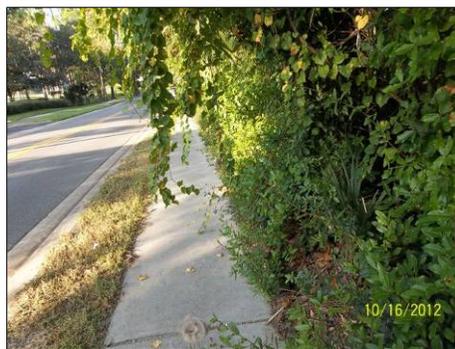
Public Works in ACTION



Maintenance crews preparing roadway for playground dedication



Maintenance crews clearing debris from the sidewalk on Division Ave...



...and on SRA1A



Public Works in ACTION



Urban Forestry remove deceased tree on Oleander near the water plant



Stormwater crews rehab stormwater basin at Burns and Collins Streets

